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In re Application of: :  
Mathew Davis Gard :  
Application No.: 09/227,490 :  
Filed: January 6, 1999 :  
Atty's Docket No.: 35684.0101 :

**DECISION ON RENEWED  
PETITION UNDER  
37 CFR 1.181 AND 1.137(b)**

This is a decision on applicant's renewed petitions under 37 CFR 1.181 and 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 7, 2007.

The renewed petitions are **GRANTED**.

Applicant has present provided a complete copy of the previous filing of 05 January 2005 and attested that the papers presently filed are a true and complete copy of the papers originally filed on 05 January 2005. As such, it is proper to grant applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.181 at this time and accept the papers filed May 7, 2007 as having been filed on January 5, 2005.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to submit corrected drawings in a timely manner in reply to the Notice of Allowability mailed December 1, 2003. (See Decision mailed November 9, 2004 dismissing applicant's original petition to revive).

On January 5, 2005, applicant filed the present renewed petition for revival under 37 CFR 1.137(b) considered herein. The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that it includes: (1) the petition fee; (2) the required statement of unintentional delay; and (3) the required reply in the form of corrected drawings. Accordingly, the corrected drawings are accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

The application is being referred to the Office Of Publications.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned.

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